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Re: U.S. Patent Application No. 10/619,192
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From: Stephen G. Adrian/arf

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Dear Sir:

At the request of the Examiner, applicants attach a copy of the Response filed August 12, 2004, along with a date-stamped postcard.

A handwritten signature of Stephen G. Adrian, written in dark ink, positioned above a horizontal line.
Stephen G. Adrian

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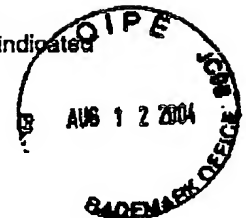
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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August 12, 2004

Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Official Action dated July 27, 2004.

In the Action, restriction is required among Group I (Claims 1-5 and 9), Group II (Claims 6-8), Group III (Claims 10-12 and 14), Group IV (Claim 13).

Applicant(s) hereby elect(s) the subject matter of Group II, Claims 6-8 for prosecution in this application. This election is made without traverse, and it is understood that Applicants' rights to the filing of a divisional application directed to the non-elected subject matter under 35 U.S.C. §120 and 35 U.S.C. §121 are retained.


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Respectfully submitted,
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